

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

## REGION VII 901 NORTH 5TH STREET KANSAS CITY, KANSAS 66101

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OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR

Mr. Matt J. Buchanan Chamber of Commerce 7 North 6<sup>th</sup> Street P.O. Box 1565 Council Bluffs, IA 51502

RE: The Citizens Gas and Electric Co. located in Des Moines IA. CERCLIS ID#

IAD984589093

Dear Mr. Buchanan:

This letter is to inform you that the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) plans to take no further action at the above referenced site. The site was given an "N" qualifier in the CERCLIS database system in February of 1996. The "N" stands for no further remedial action planned. I spoke briefly with the former project manager for this site and she indicated the Potentially Responsible Party (PRP) may have an interest in doing some additional work at the site. The Iowa Department of Natural Resources (IDNR) may also have an interest in this site. I suggest you check with them directly on this matter. A contact person is John Vedders at (515) 242-5087.

Please call me if you have any questions on this matter at (913) 551-7818.

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